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As promised to Examiner Davis during a telephone interview he kindly granted on July 8, 2009 upon Applicants learning that he had been assigned responsibility for this Application from Examiner Kellette Gale, who is no longer with the United States Patent and Trademark Office, attached to this telefax is the second Declaration of Dr. Werner Bonrath, which was intended to be part of Applicants' Response of January 6, 2009, as stated in the ninth line of the fourth page of that Response, but which apparently was not transmitted to Examiner Gale.

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